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A processing server allocates user terminals resources of a local area network (WLAN). The server is connected to at least one access point of the WLAN and includes a component which classifies the terminals into a first group or a second group, according to whether or not they are adapted to establish encrypted communications with the WLAN, and allocates resources of the WLAN to terminals attempting to establish communication with the processing server, as a function of whether the terminals are classified in said first group or said second group.